とあるおっさんのVRMMO活動記

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RIGHT NOW, I AM IN THE WOOD WORKSHOP OF VRMMO "ONE MORE FREE LIFE ONLINE".

I'M HERE TO MODIFY THE X-TYPE HUNTING BOW.

IT HAS WORN OUT TO THE POINT WHERE IT NEEDS TO BE REMADE.

THE MAIN BODY WAS REMADE WITH SOME EXCELLENT WOOD I GOT FROM THE SECOND TOWN "NEXIA" AFTER CAREFUL SELECTION.

NEXT, I MADE THE BRACE OF THE BOW FROM LIGHT METAL RATHER THAN IRON.

I DIDN'T HAVE SUCH A HARD TIME MAKING IT, AS I HAD WHEN I MADE IT FOR THE FIRST TIME, BECAUSE I DIDN'T MODIFY IT.

FIRST, DISASSEMBLE ALL THE COMPONENTS.

AND, THEN REPLACE BOTH THE MAIN BODY AND THE BOW STRINGS.

CONDITION OF THE BOW WHEN DRAWN FEELS GOOD...AND

AND SO, THE DETERIORATED PARTS WERE REPLACED WITH REINFORCED PARTS.

ALTHOUGH, IT'S APPEARANCE DIDN'T CHANGE MUCH, IT'S PERFORMANCE HAS IMPROVED DRASTICALLY.

[COMPOSITE X-TYPE HUNTING BOW] : DUE TO IT'S WEIRD SHAPE, THE ARROWS SHOT CONTAIN AMAZING POWER. HOWEVER, IT'S DIFFICULT TO HANDLE. ITS SIGNIFICANTLY MODIFIED WITH VARIOUS COMPONENTS TO INCREASE ABILITY, THIS MAKES IT UNABLE TO BE HANDLED BY NOVICES. EFFECT; ATTACK +46 PRODUCTION RATING : 7]

HEY GUYS I CAN'T CONCENTRATE IF YOU'RE ALL STARING AT ME.

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?

STA~~~~~~~~~~~~~~RE

SWISH

SWISH

AREN'T PEOPLE OTHER THAN CRAFTSMEN ALSO MIXED IN THE CROWD?

WELL, AFTER ALL THAT HAPPENED, FOR THE TIME BEING IT CAN'T BE HELPED THAT I STAND OUT.

IT'S LIKE THIS EVERY DAY EVER SINCE I WON AGAINST THE FAIRY QUEEN IN THE RECENT EVENT "DANCE OF THE FAIRIES".

BUT...

WELL, RUMORS ABOUT PEOPLE LAST FOR 75 DAYS, SO THIS FUSS IS TEMPORARY..

PHEW

...
REALLY.

I DIDN'T EXPECT THAT STANDING OUT IN THE EVENT WOULD HAVE SUCH A LARGE EFFECT.

TL: IT'S A PROVERB IN JAPANESE MEANING GOSSIP FADES WITH TIME, SO DON'T LET WHAT OTHER PEOPLE ARE SAYING GET TO YOU.

AFTER BEING USED AS A PAWN IN THE OFFICIAL PROMOTION VIDEO, IT HAS LEAD ME TO STAND OUT MUCH MORE.

THE VIDEO OF THAT FIGHT WAS LATER POSTED ON THE HOMEPAGE BY THE MANAGEMENT.

IT WOULD BE SOMEWHAT BETTER THAN BEING IN THE CITY.

FOR NOW, LET'S GO HUNTING.

HE'S HERE, HE'S HERE...

CHATTER CHATTER

WHISPER WHISPER

LOOK, THE ONE FROM THE PROMO ...

BUT, I WANT TO PUT UP A FOOD STALL.

UGH, SO TROUBLESOME, IT SEEMS THERE'S NO WAY TO AVOID THIS..

THERE AREN'T ENOUGH RABBIT HORNS !?

THUD

HEY MOVE ASIDE, THE ARROW WILL HIT YOU!

THEIR ARMOR AND EQUIPMENT SEEMS QUITE GOOD, BUT DIDN'T THEY SELECT MAGIC AND RESTRAINING SKILLS?

I DIDN'T THINK SO MANY USERS WOULD TAKE UP <ARCHERY> WHEN THE ARCHER JOB IS CONSIDERED THE WEAKEST ...

WHAT IS THIS, THE OPENING DAY !?

ANYWAY, I REALLY WONDER HOW MANY OF THESE PEOPLE WILL ACTUALLY BE ABLE TO MAKE IT.

BUT REALLY, ISN'T THE BOW BOUGHT FROM NPC SHOPS UNEXPECTEDLY OF REALLY LOW QUALITY?

FOR NOW, LET'S MOVE TO A FREE AREA WHERE I WON'T BE DISTURBED.

WAAAH~~

HAAH~~

WELL, DO YOUR BEST TO REACH LEVEL 10 AND LEARN THE <RESTRAIN> ART TO INCREASE YOUR OPTIONS ....

THERE'S ALSO A FEW WHIP USERS

BANG

WHOOSH SMACK

BOOM

BANG

FWOOSH WHOOSH

BUT I WON'T WIN IF I LET IT BOTHER ME.

FOR THE TIME BEING, LET'S NOT FIGHT HEAD-ON AND...

...REFUSE ALL DUEL REQUESTS.

ALL MY SKILLS WERE REVEALED TO EVERYONE,

FIRST OF ALL, IT'S NOT LIKE I AM AIMING TO BE THE STRONGEST PLAYER.

APPEARS

IT SEEMS ALMOST ILLEGAL.

THE COMBO OF STEALTH AND ARCHERY

...NOW THAT I REMEMBER, DIDN'T I LEARN THAT STRANGE MAGIC.

<PRISM NOVA>?

I JUST WANT TO QUIETLY ENJOY THE GAME.

THAT'S RIGHT, MY TECHNIQUES ARE TO PLAY SOLO AND DEFEAT THE MONSTERS.

...WAS WHAT SHE SAID..

...IF I REMEMBER CORRECTLY.

..YOU LIKE TO TEST OUT THINGS, RIGHT?

THE EFFECT, WELL WHY DON'T YOU TRY IT OUT YOURSELF..

FSSHHH

YEAH, WHOEVER EQUIPS THE FAIRY QUEEN'S RING CAN LEARN THAT MAGIC.

GRRRR~

GRRRR~

THERE'S NO ONE AROUND, SO LET'S TRY THAT OUT RIGHT NOW.

TRY IT OUT!!

SHINE

SHINE

GRRR~

HUFF~

ALRIGHT, LET'S ...

IS THE RANEE CIRCULAR?

THEN, LET'S TRY IT OUT WITH THE BEAR AT THE CENTER.

?

BA~~~M

?

MP

CLENCH

URGH . . .

<PRISM NOVA>

SHI~~~NE

SHI~~~NE

LET'S TRY IT AGAIN

BOOM

FWOOSH

SWISH SWISH SWISH

RUMBLE

RUMBLE

RUMBLE

ROOO

AARR

BEAR WAS PETRIFIED

THIS IS...

HMM..

IT'S NOT AN ATTACK MAGIC, BUT A MAGIC THAT GRANTS RANDOM ABNORMAL STATUS EFFECTS.

IT SEEMS, THIS <PRISM NOVA>...

ABNORMAL EFFECTS GRANTED MAY BE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING SEVEN - [POISONED] [BURNED] [BLINDED] [CONFUSED] [RESTRAINED] [PARALYZED] [PETRIFIED]

THE PROBABILITY OF TRIGGERING [PARALYZED] AND [PETRIFIED] ARE REALLY LOW.

BECAUSE THE MATCH WILL BE DECIDED INSTANTLY WITH THESE EFFECTS.

COOL-DOWN TIME IS 20 MINUTES.

PM 11:27

HOW TO USE IT, LET'S THINK ABOUT IT TOMORROW.

FOR THE TIME BEING, LET'S GO BACK TO THE TOWN AND LOG OUT.

THESE KIND OF INCIDENTS ARE OFTEN REALLY TROUBLE-SOME.

I FEEL SORRY FOR THE PERSON BEING CALLED....

UWAH!

SOMEONE SURE SOUNDS ARROGANT.

HEY, YOU! I'M TALKING TO YOU

CHATTER CHATTER

NEXT DAY

HEY, YOU THERE!

IT WILL BE TROUBLE-SOME TO GET CAUGHT UP IN PVP.

HEY, CAN'T YOU HEAR ME!?

I WANT TO TRY OUT COOKING TODAY, BETTER LEAVE BEFORE I GET CAUGHT UP IN SOMETHING.

YOU BASTARD, TURN AROUND, I HAVE SOMETHING TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT.

BOILING

WELL, IF SOMEONE WAS CALLED LIKE THAT PROBABLY NO ONE WOULD WANT TO REPLY.

HEY ...

HEY, YOU ...

SEEMS LIKE HE'S BEING IGNORED.

I'M TRYING TO GET USED TO COOKING MULTIPLE DISHES AND..

..INCREASING MY EFFICIENCY SIMULTANEOUSLY, SO THAT I DON'T LOSE TO OTHER CHEFS.

SIZZLE

STIR STIR

I'M MAKING STEW, SAUTÉ AND DEEP-FRY SIMULTANE-OUSLY.

MASS PRODUCING THE 3-PIECE SET OF [BEAR MEAT STEW], [WOLF MEAT SAUTÉ WITH VEGETABLES], AND [DEEP FRIED RABBIT MEAT], THAT SELLS REALLY WELL.

HISSS

SAUTÉ CAN BE PREPARED BY COOKING THE VEGETABLES ON HIGH HEAT.

DEEP FRY CAN BE PREPARED IN ONE GO I JUST HAVE TO WATCH THE HEAT CAREFULLY.

OH..

SIZZLE SIZZLE

WHILE PREPARING THE STEW, AS LONG AS I PREPARE THE INGREDIENTS, I JUST HAVE TO WATCH THE HEAT CAREFULLY.

CLANK CLANK

AND...

IT'S ABSOLUTE-LY CORRECT.

THE SAYING THAT "COOKING IS ALSO A BATTLE"

DON'T APPEAR OUT OF NOWHERE, AND DON'T EAT IT!!

FOOD IS READY, LET'S ENJOY IT ♪

SLAPPING FAN MADE OF LIGHT METAL COATED WITH LEATHER TO GIVE THE EFFECT OF [LESS PAIN BUT LARGE SOUND].

SFX. SLAP

I'M SICK OF IT!

BUT, MOST OF THE CUISINE IN FAIRIES COUNTRY IS JUST SWEETS...

THAT'S FOR SELLING, DON'T EAT IT WITHOUT PERMISSION.

?

KING
SUBJECTS
CITIZENS

IT MIGHT SEEM LIKE THE KING RULES OVER THE CITIZENS,

CITIZENS
SUBJECTS
KING

I KNOW,

FLIP IT OVER, AND SEE THE CRUEL REALITY IS THAT THE KING HAS TO SHOULDER ALL THE CITIZENS BY HIMSELF !?

BABBLE

ON THE OTHER HANDS, THE CITIZENS CAN JUST PAY SOME TAX, DON'T HAVE ANY OBLIGATION TO FIGHT FOR THE COUNTRY, AND CAN ENJOY THEIR DAYS WITH FREEDOM.

BABBLE

FIRST OF ALL, A KING IS SOMEONE WHO HOLDS THE TOP POSITION IN THE COUNTRY BUT MUST ALWAYS PUT THEIR COUNTRY FIRST AND ALWAYS WORK FOR THE COUNTRY, ISN'T THAT JUST THE NUMBER ONE SLAVE OF THE COUNTRY

BABBLE

I KNOW.

YOU! I'M TALKING TO YOU!! HOW DARE YOU IGNORE ME IN THE CITY!

PANT

PANT

HEY, YOU!

IT SEEMS LIKE YOU'RE PILING UP A LOT OF STRESS ...

..BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN THAT YOU CAN COME OVER TO THE HUMAN WORLD WHENEVER YOU WANT.

HMPH, WELL NEVER-MIND ..I'M NEIZA OF "APOLLO'S BOW" GUILD.

IT'S THE WORST... SO HE WAS CALLING ME!!

WHA... WHAT MIGHT YOU BE TALKING ABOUT ?

HMM? THIS VOICE IS...

WHAT'S WITH THIS GUY, DISTURBING MY DATE WITH DARLING.

OH MY GOD! HE IS A COMPLETE DUMBASS.

CLANG CLANG

PAT

OUR NOBLE OBJECTIVE IS TO RESCUE THE ARCHERS FROM THE OPPRESSION.

WE'VE COME PERSONALLY TO THIS REMOTE PLACE, TO OFFER YOU A HELPING HAND.

ALRIGHT! FOR NOW SETTLE DOWN WITH SOME FRIED CHICKEN!!

I'M HUNGRY !!

EXTEND

CLENCH

SOMEONE LIKE YOU MUST BE CRYING WITHOUT HAVING BEEN INVITED TO ANY GUILD, I CAN'T POSSIBLY LEAVE A FELLOW COMRADE ALONE

THEREFORE!!

SWISH

I REFUSE. THEN, EXCUSE ME!

HEY, LET'S GO!

BE THANKFUL, AND COME TO OUR GUILD!!

OUT OF THE BENEVOLENCE OF OUR HEARTS, WE'LL PROVIDE YOU WITH THE LOWEST SEAT!!

...EH?

DAZE

NOW, GO HOME!

NO WAY!

NO MORE!

I WANT TO EAT STIR-FRIED VEGETABLES NEXT.

DOESN'T SHE GET THAT STANDING OUT WILL ONLY INVITE MORE TROUBLE.

SHE REALLY STANDS OUT.

BUT NO MATTER HOW YOU LOOK AT HER SHE LOOKS REALLY BEAUTIFUL.

SHE IS KINDA WEIRD.

NOTHING.

REALLY...

WELL, ARE YOU HERE JUST TO PROCURE FOOD?

I'LL GIVE HER POINTS FOR HER PLAIN ONE PIECE DRESS.

WHAT IS IT?

WHAT IS IT?

BUT, WELL...

EH?

I WANT TO STUDY THE FOOD MADE BY OTHER CHEFS.

EH— BUT, I WANTED TO EAT YOUR COOKING.

THEN, LET'S GO SHOPPING, I'LL GO WITH YOU.

LET'S GO.

YEAH, WELL I JUST WANT TO GET MY HANDS ON A LITTLE BIT.

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REALLY, YOU'RE SUCH A GLUTTON.

WELL, IF YOU HAVE THIS MUCH, YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO ENJOY IT FOR A LITTLE WHILE.

YEAH, WITH THIS MUCH, I'LL BE ABLE TO WORK HARD AGAIN.

..DON'T COME HERE WHENEVER YOU FEEL LIKE IT.

YOU WON'T LISTEN, BUT I'LL SAY IT ANYWAY ....

?

YOU IDIOT, THAT WASN'T WHAT I REALLY CAME FOR..

WELL, THEN SEE YOU LATER!

SHI~~ ~~NE

LET'S REINFORCE THE 'BLADE-SHOES' TOMORROW.

DISAPPEARS

..DIDN'T SHE HEAR WHAT I JUST SAID.

PHEW

GEEZ, TO ALWAYS KNOW MY WHERE-ABOUTS, I GOT A REAL TROUBLE-SOME BIRD.

I'M TIRED, I DIDN'T THINK THAT I WOULD BE SURROUNDED BY SO MANY PEOPLE IN THE MINE

I SEE, I SEE

THEY LOOK QUITE DIFFERENT

I SEE SO THESE ARE...

SO THAT'S HOW THEY LOOK..

I SEE.. THE BLADES.

I WONDER IF KICK USERS HAVE ALSO INCREASED.

SO THAT'S HOW YOU KICK.

COME BACK

....PHEW

DON'T GO

MASTER, I'LL BE IN YOUR CARE AGAIN.

YO! CELEBRITY!

PLEASE STOP IT.

... IT'S BEEN A WHILE, LET'S GET BACK TO CRAFTING IN THE USUAL WORKSHOP

FAUST SMITHY

SMITHY

HMMM ?

THERE'S A LOT OF FIRE FAIRIES FLYING AROUND TODAY.

FSSHHH

IT FEELS LIKE THE CRAFTING GOES REALLY WELL IF FAIRIES ARE FLYING AROUND AT THE TIME OF PRODUCTION

STA

AAARE

GOOD! THIS MANY INGOT'S SHOULD BE FINE, LET'S GET TO WORK.

WELL, IT CAN'T BE HELPED YOU'RE A FAMOUS PLAYER NOW, SO EVERYONE IS PAYING ATTENTION TO YOU.

EVEN YOU, MASTER -

EXCUSE ME... BUT WHY ARE YOU SURROUNDING ME SO CLOSELY?

ALRIGHT!!

PLEASE STAY A LITTLE AWAY FROM ME.

AT LEAST THAT FAR

OH...

AS A RESULT, IT BECAME MORE ROBUST AND STABLE.

I'LL JUST MODIFY THE SHOE PART THAT I MADE BEFORE.

I USED LIGHT METAL SINCE IT IS LIGHTER THAN IRON, & I'LL BE ABLE TO ARMOR IT MORE PROPERLY.

UP TO THIS POINT, IT'S GOING AS I PLANNED.

UP!

UP!

NOW, THEN THE BIGGEST CHANGE I'LL BE MAKING IS TO THE BLADES.

ADDING, THE TWISTED ARROHEADS WHICH I MADE BEFORE FOR THE ARROWS,

IT'LL BECOME MORE BRUTAL, WELL IT'S ALL GOOD IN THIS CASE...

I'LL MAKE THE SPIKES TO ATTACH TO THE SOLE WITH STEEL

THE POWER WASN'T UP TO THE PAR, THE WAY I COULD KICK WAS LIMITED AND ABOVE ALL THE MAINTENANCE WAS REALLY TROUBLESOME

PREVIOUSLY, I ADDED THE BLADES TO THE SIDES THE LAST TIME, BUT NOT THIS TIME, BECAUSE..

NO MATTER HOW I KICK, THE FANGS OR ARROW-HEADS WILL STAB INTO THE OPPONENTS.

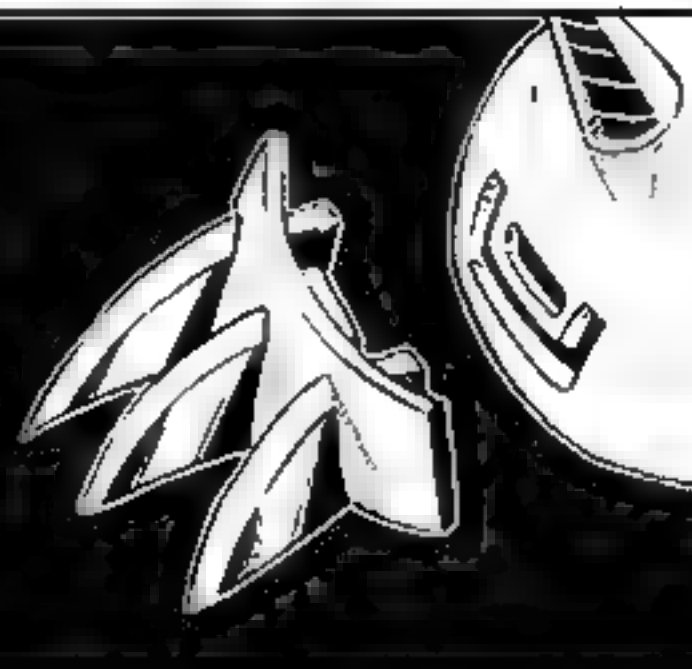
I DESIGNED IT SO THAT IF KICKED WITH THE TIPTOE THE FANGS WILL STAB THE OPPONENTS.

FIRST, I ADDED 3 BLADES IMITATING FANGS, TO THE TOETIP.

AND THEN, I ADDED 3 TWISTED ARROW-HEADS PROPERLY SPACED TO THE TOP OF THE SHOE

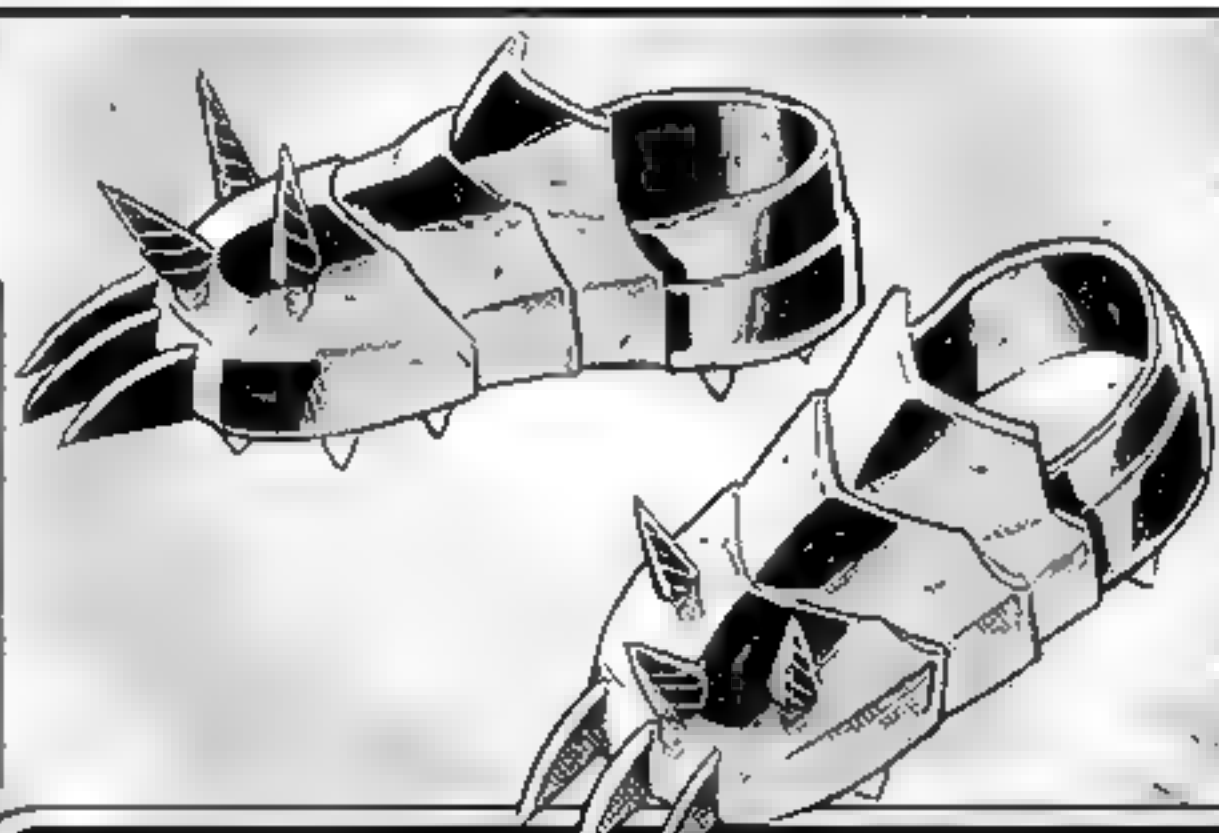
PREVIOUS BLADE-SHOES HAD TOO MANY FAULTS, BUT I WAS ABLE TO OBTAIN SOME GOOD DATA FROM THEM.

THE MAINTENANCE WILL BECOME EASY, AND I WILL ALSO BE ABLE TO CUSTOMIZE THE SIZE OF THE FANGS EASILY.



LET'S MAKE THE FANGS DETACHABLE SO THAT THEY CAN BE REPLACED EASILY.

FINISHED AFTER CHANGING ALL THE BAD PARTS I COULD THINK OF.



AFTER WORKING FOR 1 HOUR

[FANG LEG BLADE] -
CAN BE EQUIPPED OVER LEATHER OR LIGHT ARMOR SHOES, BY
EQUIPPING POWER OF KICK INCREASES, CAN'T BE USED IF <KICK>
SKILL IS BELOW LV.30
EFFECT - ATTACK +24 , ADDITIONAL DEFENSE POWER: +10
SPECIAL EFFECTS -
DAMAGE RECEIVED FROM <KICK> REDUCED,
WHEN ATTACKING GRANTS <LACERATION> OR <WEIGHT INCREASE>
EFFECTS TO THE OPPONENTS SOMETIMES, PRODUCTION RATING: 6

SFX SWISH SWISH

SFX SWISH SLASH

OHHHHH~~~~~~~~~~HHHH

IT WAS MUCH MORE COMFORTABLE WHEN THEY WERE SAYING "YOU'RE MAKING SOMETHING WEIRD AGAIN"

IT TURNED OUT JUST LIKE I IMAGINED IT TO BE_

MASTER ...

NICE WORK! LOOKS LIKE YOU WERE ABLE TO MAKE SOME INTERESTING EQUIPMENT.

HOWEVER, IT IS REALLY HARD TO MAKE SOMETHING DIFFERENT THAN TYPICAL WEAPONS.

ANYWAY, THIS SHOULD INCREASE THE ATTACK POWER OF MY KICK DRASTICALLY.

GRAB

PICK UP

HEHEHE

THEN, LEAVE THE PREVIOUS BLADE-SHOES WITH ME, I'LL TURN THEM INTO INGOT...

NEXT DAY

WHA..

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT !?

EVEN IF IT'S YOU MASTER, DO YOU THINK I'LL LET YOU STUDY THEM ?

I READ YOUR MAIL ... YOU SAID YOU PREPARED WHAT I WANTED ?

HERE, THIS IS THE FINISHED PRODUCT. SINCE YOU PROVIDED THE MATERIALS, IT WILL BE SOOO GLOW.

OH! THIS IS QUITE GOOD.

IS THIS REALLY ALRIGHT ?

...EHHH PRODUC-TION RATING NINE !?

APPEARS

[BEAR CLOAK] :
MANUFACTURED BY USING BEAR'S FUR AS THE PRIMARY MATERIAL. HAS THE EFFECT OF REDUCING DAMAGE FROM AN ATTACK ON THE BACK.
EFFECT- DEFENSE +15
SPECIAL EFFECTS-
REAR ATTACK MITIGATION (MEDIUM)
PRODUCTION RATING: 9

IS THAT SO...

I'M VERY GRATEFUL !!

OF COURSE, I DON'T CUT ANY CORNERS, AND ALSO I DON'T OFFER ANY DISCOUNT.

YEAH, DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.

IF IT'S MADE FROM THE BROUGHT MATERIALS, IT DOESN'T MATTER WHAT PRODUCTION RATING IT HAS,

..I JUST TAKE THE USUAL AMOUNT.

Mail

New Mail received, open it?

Yes

No

HMMM, MAIL ....

BEEP BEEP

BLINK

THEN, LET'S GO HUNTING RIGHT AWAY...

SENDER IS.... AYAME?

TRANSLATION: ME
TYPESETTING: ME
PROOFREADING: AMY

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